

REMARKS

1. The Examiner is thanked for the helpful interview held in regard to the above identified case on March 19, 2001.
2. At the interview, the Undersigned agreed to cancel Claim 39, which has been done hereinabove.
3. Also at the interview the Undersigned agreed to cancel "solid" and "and mixtures thereof" from claim 25, and insert a new Claim 52, A launching device according to claim 25 including means for launching a solid. This has been done hereinabove.
4. Concerning the informalities in the specification, this arose when the Amendment filed Jan 12, 2001 in Response to the Office Action mailed Dec. 19, 2001 was not entered by the Office.
5. However, with the changes to the Specification made hereinabove, some of which may have already been entered, it is believed all of the informalities listed in the Office Action mailed 3/13/01 have been corrected.
6. Specifically, on pages 4 and 8, 45 is the curved portion and the stand horizontal portion is 46. 44 is the lower end portion of vertical portion 43.
7. On page 6, 73 is the barrel end of barrel 71.
8. On pages 11, and 12, 81a represents elongated openings.
9. On page 12, 84 represents floating stops. Dogs are

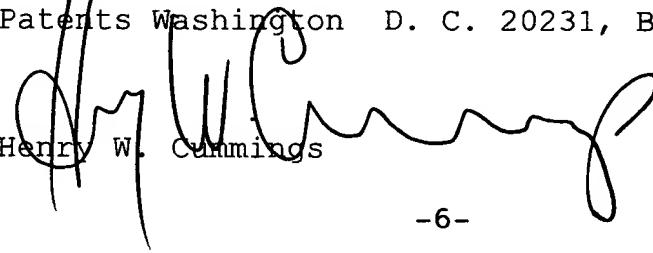
10. On pages 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, barrel is 71 and 75 is the second end of barrel 71.
11. On page 13, set screws are now numbered 87 as elsewhere in the Specification.
12. Pages of the Specification showing the changes made and pages in clean copy are attached.
13. It is believed that with the foregoing changes the application is now allowable and early notice to this effect is requested.
14. Check number 9395 for \$55 is attached to cover the fee for a one month extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that this Amendment Responsive to the Office Action Mailed 01/13/01 has been mail by postage pre-paid first class mail this 10th day of April, 2001 to Asst. Comm. for Patents Washington D. C. 20231, Box Patent Application.


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